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LIST OF PATENTS AND PUBLICATIONS FOR APPLICANT'S INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT	FILING DATE July 30, 1999	GROUP ART UNIT 2877
(use several sheets if necessary)		APPLICANT(S): Dieter Michel et al.

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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PG	A1	4,156,137	05/22/79	Nelle		
	A2	4,171,160	10/16/79	Ernst		
	A3	4,243,325	01/06/81	Ernst		
	A4	4,423,958	01/03/84	Schmitt		
	A5	4,495,700	01/29/85	Ernst		
	A6	4,530,155	07/23/85	Burkhardt et al.		
	A7	4,530,159	07/23/85	Ernst		
	A8	4,616,131	10/07/86	Burkhardt		
	A9	4,700,062	10/13/87	Ernst		
	A10	4,776,701	10/11/88	Pettigrew		
	A11	5,493,399	02/20/96	Meyer et al.		
	A12	5,716,679	02/10/98	Krug et al.		

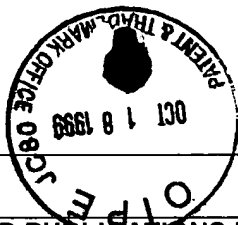
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	A14	WO 93/06508	04/01/93	WIPO			

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PG	A15	"Langen in der Ultraprazisionstechnik messen [Length measuring in Ultra-Precision Technology," by A. Spiess, Feinwerktechnik & Messtechnik 98 [Precision Mechanics & Measuring Technology 98], vol. 10, pp. 406-410 (1990).

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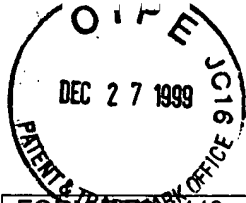
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	A5	39 00 464	07/12/90	Germany			

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PGW	A6	English language Abstract of West German reference 36 09 211.
V	A7	English language Abstract of German reference 37 02 203.
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<i>DM</i>	A2	5,336,884	08/09/94	Khoshnevisan et al.		
<i>DM</i>	A3	5,451,776	09/19/95	Kolloff et al.		

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